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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket No. (Optional) 220002060725																					
RECEIVED MAR 08 2004	In re Application of Michael J. MAHAN et al.																						
	Application Number 09/928,227		Filed August 9, 2001																				
	For: METHOD OF REDUCING BACTERIAL PROLIFERATION																						
	Art Unit 1645	Examiner G. Portner																					
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table><tbody><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td>Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$</td><td>950.00</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 475.00</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952</p> <p>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 43,318</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)</p> <p>February 27, 2004 Date</p> <p>(650) 813-5995 Telephone Number</p> <p><i>Shantanu Basu</i> Signature</p> <p>Shantanu Basu Typed or printed name</p> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of 1 forms are submitted.</p>				<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$	950.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$	
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